

Table 15. Number and percent of office visits with corresponding standard errors, by diagnostic and screening services ordered or provided and patient's sex: United States, 2000

Diagnostic and screening services ordered or provided	Number of visits in thousands ¹	Standard error in thousands	Percent of visits	Standard error of percent	Patient's sex			
					Female ²		Male ³	
					Percent of visits	Standard error of percent	Percent of visits	Standard error of percent
All visits	823,542	34,820
None	210,404	11,684	25.5	1.2	23.6	1.1	28.4	1.5
Examinations								
Skin	87,837	8,692	10.7	0.9	10.6	0.8	10.8	1.1
Visual	59,923	6,625	7.3	0.7	6.8	0.7	7.9	0.9
Pelvic	59,062	6,124	7.2	0.7	11.0	0.9	*1.6	0.6
Breast	57,041	6,491	6.9	0.7	10.7	1.0	*1.5	0.5
Rectal	42,683	5,687	5.2	0.6	5.0	0.7	5.5	0.7
Glaucoma	24,593	3,659	3.0	0.4	3.1	0.5	2.8	0.4
Hearing	16,785	2,520	2.0	0.3	1.5	0.2	2.8	0.4
Tests								
Blood pressure	373,429	24,755	45.3	1.7	48.5	1.7	40.8	2.0
Urinalysis	79,970	5,640	9.7	0.5	11.1	0.7	7.7	0.5
Hematocrit/hemoglobin	42,925	3,842	5.2	0.4	5.5	0.5	4.8	0.4
Cholesterol	39,608	4,218	4.8	0.5	4.4	0.4	5.5	0.6
Pap test	29,952	3,068	3.6	0.3	6.1	0.5	*	...
EKG ⁴	22,937	1,994	2.8	0.2	2.2	0.2	3.6	0.3
PSA ⁵	12,514	1,398	1.5	0.2	*	...	3.7	0.4
Strep test	11,287	1,580	1.4	0.2	1.6	0.2	1.1	0.2
Pregnancy test	5,392	737	0.7	0.1	1.1	0.1	*	...
Blood lead level	2,687	782	0.3	0.1	*0.3	.01	*	...
HIV serology ⁶	2,560	364	0.3	0.0	0.4	0.1	*	...
Other STD ⁷	3,793	706	0.5	0.1	0.7	0.1	*	...
Other blood test	113,572	7,795	13.8	0.7	14.4	0.8	12.8	0.8
Imaging								
X ray	53,419	3,960	6.5	0.4	5.6	0.4	7.8	0.6
Ultrasound	20,054	1,631	2.4	0.2	3.0	0.3	1.7	0.2
Mammography	17,836	2,519	2.2	0.3	3.7	0.5	*	...
CAT scan/MRI ^{8,9}	13,232	1,271	1.6	0.1	1.6	0.2	1.6	0.2
Other	118,017	8,206	14.3	0.8	13.9	0.8	14.9	0.9
Blank	10,303	2,737	1.3	0.3	1.0	0.3	1.6	0.5

... Category not applicable.

* Figure does not meet standard of reliability or precision.

¹Total exceeds "All visits" because more than one service may be reported per visit.²Based on 488,199,000 visits made by females.³Based on 335,343,000 visits made by males.⁴EKG is electrocardiogram.⁵PSA is prostate-specific antigen.⁶HIV is human immunodeficiency virus.⁷STD is sexually transmitted disease.⁸CAT is computerized axial tomography.⁹MRI is magnetic resonance imaging.